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 Re application of: Armitage, et al.  
 Application No.: 09/673,074

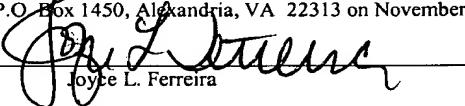
Attorney Docket No.: HASLP004,  
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Filed: February 26, 2001  
 Title: OCULAR IRRIGATING SOLUTION

Examiner: FAY, ZOHREH A  
 Group: 1614

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment  
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 P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	17	MINUS	20	00	x 9 = 0	x 18 =
Independent Claims	02	MINUS	03	00	x 42 = 0	x 84 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
				Total	\$0.00	\$

Applicant(s) hereby petition for a one-month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.

Enclosed is our Check No. 99.00 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.

Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. HASLP004).

Respectfully submitted,  
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